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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
BASIC FEE (37 CFR 1.101)			RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.102)	37		\$ 25		\$ 25	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.103)			\$ 100		\$ 100	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.104)			\$ 100		\$ 100	
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	TOTAL (37 CFR 1.102)	MINUS		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
3/20/04	35	36		\$ 25		\$ 25	
	4	4		\$ 100		\$ 100	
				\$ 100		\$ 100	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.104)				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	TOTAL (37 CFR 1.102)	MINUS		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
11/29/04	35	36		\$ 25		\$ 25	
	4	4		\$ 100		\$ 100	
				\$ 100		\$ 100	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.104)				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY	OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
	TOTAL (37 CFR 1.102)	MINUS		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
				\$ 25		\$ 25	
				\$ 100		\$ 100	
				\$ 100		\$ 100	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.104)				TOTAL ADD'L FEE		TOTAL ADD'L FEE	

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